

## SGCN and Habitat Stressors

**Level 1 Threat** Invasive and Other Problematic Species, Genes and Diseases

**Level 2 Threat:** Diseases of Unknown Cause

**Description:** Occasionally plants and animals are impacted by diseases of unknown origin and often it may take many years to identify the pathogen responsible. For example, it is not known what causes white-band disease (WBD) in Acroporid corals, but the disease is having a huge impact in some parts of the world.

**Species Associated With This Stressor:** **Total SGCN:** 1: 2: 1 3:

Class	<i>Actinopterygii</i> (Ray-finned Fishes)	SGCN Category
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**Species:** *Notropis bifrenatus* (Bridle Shiner)

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**Severity:** Moderate Severity

**Actionability:** Highly actionable

**Notes:** Unknown if BDS susceptible or a carrier of fish diseases, but likely susceptible to a variety of pathogens and parasites. Continued vigilance, baitfish rules, dealer inspections and restrictions on live fish imports greatly assist with minimizing disease outbreaks.

**No Habitats Currently Assigned To This Stressor.**

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*The Wildlife Action Plan was developed through a lengthy participatory process with state agencies, targeted conservation partners, and the general public. The Plan is non-regulatory. The species, stressors, and voluntary conservation actions identified in the Plan complement, but do not replace, existing work programs and priorities by state agencies and partners.*